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Andrew V. Anderson

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Martin Lerner

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For

Automatic Tuning of Speech Recognition Systems

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 16, 2004, please refer to the following remarks regarding the above-identified application.

Amendments to the specification: begin on page 2

Amendments to the claims: begin on page 3

Amendments to the drawings: NONE

Remarks/Arguments: begin on page 10

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